

## Chemical Dependency Professionals Advisory Committee Meeting

August 6, 2004 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Department of Health Point Plaza East 310 Isreal Road, Conference Room 152 Tumwater, Washington

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	AGENDA		
9:00 - 9:15 AM	CALL TO ORDER: Approval or modification of meeting agenda APPROVAL OF MINUTES Minutes from the February 20, 2004 meeting will be approved or modified.	Karen Christensen	
9:15 – 9:30 AM	INTRODUCTION The newly appointed Advisory Committee Members, Kathryn Martin and Sharon Chambers will ibe introduced.	Tammy Benson/ Sharon Chambers/ Kathryn Martin	
9:30 - 10:30 AM	PROGRAM REPORT:  a) Licensee/Complaint/Discipline Statistics b) Retired Active Statistics c) Expired Credential Statistics d) Budget Update -Fees e) Goals Update f) New Committee Roster	Tammy Benson  Kathy Devine Kathy Anderson Committee	
10:30- 10:45 AM	Break		
10:45 – 11:30 AM	TACOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE - TWENTY CREDIT PROGRAM  Mike Towey from Tacoma Community College will discuss the twenty credit program that the school offers to students who already have a degree and explain how the school evaluates potential students to assure that all requirements of WAC 246-811-030 are met.	Mike Towey	
11:30 – 11:45 AM	COMMITTEE MEMBER APPOINTMENTS Tammy Benson will discuss new committee member appointments. Members whose appoitments have ended will be recognized for their contributions to the committee.	Tammy Benson	
11:45 AM - 12:00PM	LICENSURE WITHOUT EXAMINATION Karen Christensen and Jean Phillips will share with the Committee their findings regarding the licensing requirements in Oregon, Idaho and California. The Committee will review the requirements to decide if they are similar to Washington and if further efforts should be made to determine if their requirements are substantially equivalent to Washington.	Karen Christensen/ Jean Phillips	

12:00 PM – 12:15 PM	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR UPDATE  Bob Nicoloff, Executive Director will update the Committee on changes happening at the Department of Health and possible legislative issues for the next legistlative session	Bob Nicoloff
12:15 – 12:40 PM	ISSUE PAPER ON PREVIOUS CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS OF APPLICANTS  The Committee will review the latest draft of the issue paper related to applicants with previous criminal convictions.	Paul Weatherly/ Robert Helgoe/ Tammy Benson/ Janice Boden
12:40 – 12:50 PM	PUBLIC COMMENT: The Committee and Department of Health welcome public comment on any issues regarding agenda items, rules or other items of concern.	Karen Christensen
12:50 - 12:55 PM	OTHER ISSUES: Committee members may present other issues or concerns for discussion.	Karen Christensen
12:55 - 1:00 PM	NEXT MEETING The committee and staff will identify topics for the next meeting.	Karen Christensen
1:00 PM	ADJOURNMENT	Karen Christensen

## **Additional Information:**

*Times and Order:* The meeting will commence at 9:00 A.M. on August 6, 1004 and continue until all Agenda items are complete. The Advisory Committee will break as determined by the agenda and the Committee. This agenda is subject to change. Comments from the public in attendance will be solicited after each agenda item.

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